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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

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- 1 (canceled)
- 2 (canceled)

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3 (original): A method for manufacturing metallic material on which a chromium-oxide passivation film is formed, comprising the step of:

forming the passivation film consisting of chromium oxide by applying heat treatment in an oxidizing atmosphere after coating chromium on the metallic material of the surface roughness (Ra) of metallic material surface is not more than $1.5\mu m$.

4 (original): A fluid supplying/exhaust system for manufacturing semiconductors, comprising metallic material having a chromium-oxide passivation film according to claim 1.